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In re Application of:)
MARTIN KARTZMARK ET AL.) : Examiner: Hung T. Vy
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FACILITATING ACCESS TO)
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COMMENTS ON STATEMENT OF REASONS FOR ALLOWANCE

Sir:

Applicants are in receipt of a July 17, 2007 Notice of Allowance and Fee(s) Due in the above-identified application. The Notice is accompanied by the Examiner's Statement of Reasons for Allowance.

In the Form PTO-37 (Notice of Allowability"), it states that the allowed claims are 4-12. In the Statement, at Paragraph 1, it indicates that by virtue of the remarks filed in Applicants' amendment filed on March 27, 2007 claims 4-11 are pending and further states that these claims are allowed. Further, in Paragraph 2 of the Statement, it incorrectly identifies Claims 1-20 as being allowed and discusses claims not of this application.

Applicants submit that Claims 4-12 are pending and the indications in

Paragraphs 1 and 2 of the Statement were inadvertent and that such indications do not change the status of allowed Claims 4-12.

It is noted that this Request is being submitted due to an error by the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office, and therefore, no time should be deducted from Applicants' term adjustment due to the filing or consideration of this paper.

Applicants' undersigned attorney may be reached in our New York office by telephone at (212) 218-2100. All correspondence should continue to be directed to our below listed address.

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